

# EASLEY COMBINED UTILITIES

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### SEWER TAP AND CAPACITY FEES

Tap Size	Tap Fee*	Capacity Fee per REU**
4 inch	\$ 1,330	+
Larger taps	Cost	+

- \* A Tap Fee and Capacity Fee will be charged only if ECU crews install the sewer tap. If the customer installs the tap, only the Capacity Fee will be charged.
- \*\* A Residential Equivalent Unit (REU) is equivalent to 300 gpd of discharge. 300 gpd is the amount of discharge of one single-family home and is the minimum quantity to be discharged.

REUs for non-residential taps are equal to the permitted or calculated discharge from the premise, as provided for in SCDHEC Regulations 61-67, Standards for Wastewater Facility Construction, divided by 300 and rounded up to the next highest integer.

- + Capacity fee for sewer discharged into WWTPs owned and operated by Easley Combined Utilities is \$2,500 per REU.
- + Capacity fee for sewer discharged into the ReWa Georges Creek WWTP is \$2,500 per REU.



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**Sewer Capacity Fee Payment Policy for New Developments** 

Adopted by the Commission of Easley Combined Utilities September 11, 2017

#### **Residential and Commercial Developments**

- 1. The Developer is required to pay the prevailing capacity fee for all permitted flow in a residential or commercial development. The permitted flow will be the volume stated on the SCDHEC Waste Water Construction Permit.
- 2. The capacity fee will be due to Easley Combined Utilities upon issuance by ECU of a commitment to serve letter to the Developer.
- 3. The developer must provide ECU with a plat of the proposed development that includes road names, lot numbers, and 911 addresses.
- 4. ECU will not issue the Ownership, Operation, and Maintenance letter to SCDHEC, and will not allow service to be established until the capacity fee is paid.